

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 107044-0037

First Inventor Xiaoming Ren et al.

Title Fuel Composition in Fuel Cartridges for DMFCs

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification (Total Pages 19)
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- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) (Total Sheets)
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(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney (unsigned)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
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		Application Number	Not yet assigned
		Filing Date	October 17, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Xiaoming Ren et al.
		Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
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1. BASIC FILING FEE		Fee Description Fee Paid	
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1001 750 2001 375 Utility filing fee		1053 130 1053 130 Non-English Specification	
1002 330 2002 165 Design filing fee		1812 2,520 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1003 520 2003 260 Plant filing fee		1804 920 1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1004 750 2004 375 Reissue filing fee		1805 1,840 1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee		1251 110 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)		1252 410 2252 205 Extension for reply within second month	
385		1253 930 2253 465 Extension for reply within third month	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1254 1,450 2254 725 Extension for reply within fourth month	
Extra Fee from Claims below Fee Paid		1255 1,970 2255 985 Extension for reply within fifth month	
Total Claims 32 - 20** = 12 x 9 = 108		1401 320 2401 160 Notice of Appeal	
Independent Claims 9 - 3** = 6 x 43 = 258		1402 320 2402 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
Multiple Dependent = 0		1403 280 2403 140 Request for oral hearing	
Large Entity Small Entity		1451 1,510 1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
Fee Code Fee (\$)		1452 110 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20		1453 1,300 2453 650 Petition to revive - unintentional	
1201 84 2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3		1501 1,300 2501 650 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1203 280 2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		1502 470 2502 235 Design Issue fee	
1204 84 2204 42 **Reissue independent claims over original patent		1503 630 2503 315 Plant Issue fee	
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		1809 750 2809 375 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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